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PRESS RELEASE

UTAH'S U. S. ATTORNEY APPOINTED TO ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE

SALT LAKE CITY -- Brett L. Tolman, United States Attorney for Utah, has been appointed to the Attorney General's Advisory Committee (AGAC). Tolman is one of 17 members serving on the committee, which is designed to give United States Attorneys a voice in Department of Justice policies and to advise the Attorney General of the United States.

"Members of the Attorney General's Advisory Committee play a critical role in providing advice and guidance to me and other leaders at the Department of Justice," Attorney General Michael B. Mukasey said. "Mr. Tolman and other U. S. Attorneys serving on the committee bring hands-on experience and perspective to the table as we work together to further Department of Justice initiatives."

Members of the committee represent a variety of geographical locations and office sizes. The committee meets monthly with the Attorney General.

“It is an honor to be invited to serve on this committee,” Tolman said. “I look forward to working with the Attorney General and other U.S. Attorneys from around the country in this capacity. The committee focuses on many issues important to Utah, including child exploitation issues, homeland security, and coordinating with law enforcement partners on Native American lands. It is important for Utah to have a voice as these issues are discussed.”

In addition to serving on the Advisory Committee, Tolman is a member of the Native American Issues, Terrorism and National Security, and Sentencing Guidelines subcommittees. He also is a member of a Child Exploitation and Obscenity Working Group.

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